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Preface Second Edition

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Terms referring to handicapping conditions appear in two forms: the noun, to be used for the situation or disability itself (e.g., Cultural Disadvantage, Speech Handicaps), and the adjective, to be used for the affected person (e.g., Culturally Disadvantaged, Speech Handicapped). In discussions which concern a handicap either in general or comprehensively, the broad term (e.g., Aurally Handicapped) is used; however, when only one aspect of a disability is discussed, both the broad term (e.g., Aurally Handicapped) and the specific term (e.g., Deaf or Hard of Hearing) are indicated.

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Ability Grouping

SN: See also Grouping (Instructional Purposes).

Ability Identification**Abstract Reasoning**

SN: The act of arriving at conclusions through the use of symbols or generalizations rather than concrete data.

Abstraction Levels

SN: Steps involved in the process of developing successively broader generalizations.

Academic Ability

SN: A combination of abilities useful in education in which verbal or linguistic accomplishment and numerical or mathematical facility are emphasized. Use for Academic Aptitude.

Academic Achievement

SN: Knowledge attained or skills developed in the school subjects, usually designated by test scores or by marks assigned by teachers, or by both.

Accelerated Courses

SN: Curriculum content designed to advance knowledge more rapidly than the norm.

Acceleration

SN: The process of advancing the educational program more rapidly than is normal.

***Accident Prevention**

USE SAFETY EDUCATION.

Accreditation (Institutions)**Achievement**

SN: Use only for non-academic achievement.

Achievement Tests**Acoustics****Adaptation Level Theory****Adjustment Problems****Adjustment (To Environment)**

SN: Use only when document discusses a person's relationship to his living conditions.

Administration**Administrative Change****Administrative Organization****Administrative Policy****Administrative Problems****Administrator Attitudes****Administrator Evaluation****Administrator Role**

SN: Use for Administrator Responsibility.

Admission Criteria**Adolescence**

SN: Use in discussions of the period.

Adolescents

SN: Persons aged 13 to 18 years.

Adopted Children**Adoption****Adult Education****Adults**

SN: Persons aged 26 to 64 years.

Advanced Placement**Advisory Committees****Affection****Affective Behavior****After School Activities**

SN: Use for After School Programs.

Age

SN: Use to mean the aging process.

Age Differences**Age Groups****Agencies****Agency Role****Aggression****Alcoholism****Allergy****Alphabets****American Indians****Amputees****Analysis of Variance****Anatomy****Ancillary Services****Anglo Americans****Annotated Bibliographies****Annual Reports****Anomalies**

SN: Use for Congenital Defects.

Anxiety**Aphasia****Aptitude****Aptitude Tests****Architectural Programing**

SN: Use for Architectural Specifications.

Architecture***Arithmetic**

USE MATHEMATICS.

Arousal Patterns

SN: A pattern of stimuli which arouses the cortex to vigilance or readiness.

Art

SN: See also Painting and Free Hand Drawing.

Art Education**Art Materials*****Arts and Crafts**

USE HANDICRAFTS.

Articulation (Speech)**Aspiration****Association (Psychological)**

SN: The evocation of one experience by the presence of a related experience.

Association Tests**Associative Learning****Asthma****Astronomy****Athletic Equipment****Athletics****Attendance**

SN: Use to mean daily school attendance. See also Truancy.

Attendant Training**Attendants****Attention Span**

SN: Use for Attention and Attention Control.

Attitude Tests**Attitudes****Audio Equipment****Audiology****Audiovisual Aids****Audiovisual Centers****Audiovisual Instruction****Audition (Physiology)****Auditory Perception**

SN: Use for Auditory Discrimination.

Auditory Tests

SN: Any test designed to assess ability to hear as in pitch, rhythm, or tone.

Auditory Training**Auditory Visual Tests****Aural Learning****Aural Stimuli****Aurally Handicapped**

SN: See also Deaf and Hard of Hearing.

Autism**Autobiographies*****Autoinstructional Programs**

USE PROGRAMED INSTRUCTION.

Average Students**Bachelor's Degrees****Basic Reading****Beginning Teachers****Behavior****Behavior Change**

SN: Use for behavior modification.

Behavior Modification

USE BEHAVIOR CHANGE.

Behavior Patterns

Behavior Problems

Behavior Rating Scales

Behavior Theories

Behavioral Objectives

Behavioral Sciences

Bibliographies

SN: Use for Books and Booklists.
See also Children's Books.

Bibliotherapy

Bilingual Students

SN: See also Second Language Learning.

Biochemistry

Biographies

Biological Influences

Biology

Blind

SN: See also Visually Handicapped.

Boarding Homes

Boards of Education

Body Height

Body Image

Body Weight

Braille

Building Design

Building Equipment

Building Materials

Bulletin Boards

Bus Transportation

SN: Use only when referring to the bussing of students to achieve population or racial distribution.

Business Education

Business Responsibility

Camping

Campuses

Cardiac (Person)

Cardiovascular System

***Careers**

USE EMPLOYMENT, JOBS, OCCUPATIONAL, AND VOCATIONAL TERMS.

Case Studies

SN: A collection of all available evidence--social, environmental, and vocational--gathered to help explain a single individual or social unit. See also Medical Case Histories.

Case Studies (Education)

SN: Collections of available evidence, such as social, biological, environmental, etc., for the purposes of educational guidance and as an aid to teachers for instructional planning.

***Caseworkers**

USE SOCIAL WORKERS.

Cataloging

Catharsis

Caucasian Race

***Cerebral Dominance**

USE LATERAL DOMINANCE.

Cerebral Palsy

Certification

SN: Use for professionals other than teachers.

Chalkboards

Change Agents

Changing Attitudes

Check Lists

Chemistry

Child Abuse

SN: See also Neglected Children.

Child Care

Child Care Centers

SN: Use for Day Care Programs.

Child Care Occupations

Child Development

SN: See also Maturation, Immaturity, Growth Patterns, and Readiness (Mental).

Child Development Centers

Child Psychology

Child Rearing

Child Welfare

Childhood

SN: Use for children aged 7 to 12 years.

Childhood Attitudes

Childhood Needs

Children's Books

Chinese Americans

Church Programs

Church Role

Citizenship

SN: Use for Civics.

Civil Liberties

SN: Use for Individual or Human Rights.

Civil Rights

SN: Use for rights of minority groups.

Class Activities

Class Size

Class Management

Classification

SN: The act of ordering phenomena into groups, families, or systems on the basis of designated characteristics.

Classroom Arrangement

Classroom Environment

Classroom Furniture

Classroom Observation Techniques

Cleft Lip

Cleft Palate

Clergymen

Clinical Diagnosis

Clinics

Clothing

Cloze Procedure

SN: An evaluation method in which the subject must supply a word omitted from continuing discourse.

Cocurricular Activities

SN: Use for extracurricular activities.

Coded Speech

SN: The coding of speech in such a way that high frequency sounds are represented in the auditory range of subjects with low frequency residual hearing.

Cognitive Ability

Cognitive Development

Cognitive Measurement

Cognitive Processes

SN: See also Thought Processes.

College Admission

College Choice

College High School Cooperation

College Preparation

College Students

Colleges

SN: See also Universities, Graduate Study, and Undergraduate Study.

Color Planning

Communication Problems

Communication Skills

Communication (Thought Transfer)

Community Action

Community Attitudes

Community Cooperation

Community Education

Community Health

SN: Use for Community Health Services.

Community Organizations

Community Planning

Community Programs

Community Resources

Community Role

SN: Use for Community Involvement and Community Responsibility.

Community Services

Community Surveys

SN: See also Surveys, National Surveys, and State Surveys.

Comparative Analysis

SN: Use only in discussions of research methodology.

Comparative Education

SN: Study of current education theory and practice in different countries.

Compensatory Education

SN: Use for secondary level of instruction. For primary level, use Intervention.

Complexity Level**Comprehension****Computer Assisted Instruction**

SN: See also Programed Instruction.

Computer Programs**Computers****Concept Formation**

SN: Use only when the article concerns conceptualization--not when concept formation is a peripheral topic.

Conceptual Schemes**Conditioned Response****Conditioned Stimulus****Conference Reports****Conformity****Conservation (Concept)****Consultants****Consultation Programs****Consumer Education****Content Analysis****Context Clues****Contraception**

SN: See also Overpopulation.

Control Groups**Controlled Environment****Conventional Instruction****Convergent Thinking****Cooperative Programs****Corrective Institutions****Correlation****Correspondence Courses****Cosmetic Prostheses****Cost Effectiveness****Counseling****Counseling Centers****Counseling Effectiveness****Counselor Evaluation****Counselor Role****Counselor Training****Counselors****Course Objectives****Court Cases****Courts**

SN: See also Juvenile Courts and Parole Officers.

Creative Ability**Creative Art****Creative Development****Creative Expression**

SN: Use for Creative Activities and Learning Activities.

Creative Thinking**Creativity****Creativity Research****Crime****Criminals****Crisis Therapy****Critical Incidents Method**

SN: Method for determining needed abilities for a particular task in order to establish standards or make inferences.

Critical Thinking**Cued Speech****Cues****Cultural Background****Cultural Differences****Cultural Enrichment****Cultural Factors****Culturally Disadvantaged****Culture****Culture Free Tests****Curiosity****Current Events**

SN: See also Newspapers.

Curriculum**Curriculum Design****Curriculum Development****Curriculum Evaluation****Curriculum Guides****Custodial Mentally Handicapped**

SN: IQ 0-25.

Custodian Training**Cutaneous Sense****Cybernetics****Dance*****Data Processing**

USE INFORMATION TERMS.

Dating (Social)

SN: See also Social Relations.

***Day Care Programs**

USE CHILD CARE CENTERS.

Day Schools**Deaf**

SN: See also Aurally Handicapped.

Deaf Blind**Deaf Interpreting****Death****Decision Making****Deductive Methods****Delinquency****Delinquency Causes****Delinquency Prevention****Delinquents****Demography**

SN: The science or study of the vital statistics of populations.

Demonstration Centers**Demonstration Projects**

SN: Use for Experimental Programs and Pilot Projects.

Dental Health**Depressed Areas (Geographic)****Design Needs****Developmental Psychology****Developmental Tasks****Diabetes****Diagnostic Teaching**

SN: Use for prescriptive teaching.

Diagnostic Tests

SN: See also Prognostic Tests.

***Dialects**

USE NONSTANDARD DIALECTS.

Dietetics

SN: See also Nutrition, Eating Habits, and Food Service Workers.

Directories**Disadvantaged Groups****Disadvantaged Youth****Discipline****Discipline Problems****Discovery Learning****Discrimination Learning**

SN: Learning to react differently to various objects or stimuli.

Discriminatory Attitudes (Social)**Disease Control****Diseases**

SN: See also Infectious Diseases.

Divergent Thinking

SN: Generation of information from given information where the emphasis is upon variety and quantity of output from the same source.

Doctoral Degrees**Doctoral Programs****Doctoral Theses**

SN: Use for doctoral dissertations.

Dormitories**Dramatics****Driver Education****Dropouts**

SN: See also Potential Dropouts.

Drug Abuse**Drug Addiction**

SN: See also Narcotics and Lysergic Acid Diethylamide.

Drug Therapy

SN: See also Sedatives and Hyperactivity.

- Dyslexia**
- Early Admission**
- Early Childhood**
SN: Use for Children aged 2 1/2 to 8 years.
- Early Childhood Education**
SN: Use for Preschool Education. See also preschool terms.
- Eating Habits**
SN: See also Nutrition and Diets.
- Echolalia**
- Echolocation**
SN: A process for locating distant or invisible objects by means of sound waves reflected back to the emitter by the objects, especially in relation to visually handicapped mobility and orientation.
- Ecology**
- Economically Disadvantaged**
- Economics**
- Educable Mentally Handicapped**
SN: IQ 50-75.
- Educational Accountability**
- Educational Background**
SN: Use for the educational history of an individual.
- Educational Diagnosis**
- Educational Facilities**
SN: See also School Buildings.
- Educational Methods**
SN: Use for broad pedagogical concepts or approaches such as the Montessori Method. For specific daily techniques, see Teaching Methods.
- Educational Needs**
- Educational Objectives**
- Educational Opportunities**
- Educational Philosophy**
- Educational Planning**
- Educational Programs**
- Educational Psychology**
- Educational Technology**
SN: See also Instructional Media, Mass Media, Media Technology, and Technology.
- Educational Television**
SN: See also Televised Instruction.
- Educational Therapy**
- Educational Trends**
- Educationally Disadvantaged**
- Effective Teaching**
- Electrical Stimuli**
- Electroencephalography**
- Electromechanical Aids**
- Elementary Education**
SN: Kindergarten through grade 6.
- Elementary School Students**
- Emotional Adjustment**
- Emotional Development**
- Emotional Problems**
- Emotionally Disturbed**
SN: Use for children only. When referring to adults, use Mental Illness.
- Employer Attitudes**
- Employer Employee Relationship**
- Employment**
SN: See also job, occupational, and vocational terms, and Part Time Jobs.
- Employment Experience**
- Employment Level**
- Employment Opportunities**
- Employment Potential**
- Employment Qualifications**
- *Employment Services**
 USE JOB PLACEMENT.
- Employment Trends**
- English**
- Enrichment**
SN: Additional experiences for new learning opportunities. Use for Enrichment Activities, Enrichment Experience, and Enrichment Programs.
- Enrollment Trends**
- Environmental Influences**
- Environmental Research**
- Epilepsy**
SN: See also Seizures.
- Equipment**
- Equipment Evaluation**
- Equipment Utilization**
- Ethnic Groups**
- Etiology**
- Evaluation**
- Evaluation Criteria**
- Evaluation Methods**
- Evening Programs**
- Exceptional Child Education**
- Exceptional Child Research**
- Exceptional Child Services**
- Expenditure Per Student**
- Experience Charts**
- *Experimental Programs**
 USE DEMONSTRATION PROJECTS.
- Experimental Psychology**
- Experimental Schools**
- Expressive Language**
SN: See also Receptive Language.
- Eye Hand Coordination**
- Eye Movements**
- Facilities**
SN: Use for non-educational facilities. See also Educational Facilities and Public Facilities.
- Facility Improvement**
- Factor Analysis**
- *Faculty**
 USE INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF.
- Failure Factors**
- Family Attitudes**
- Family Characteristics**
SN: Use for Family Background.
- Family Counseling**
- Family Environment**
- Family Influence**
- Family Life Education**
- Family Problems**
- Family Role**
SN: Use for Family Involvement and Family Responsibility.
- Family (Sociological Unit)**
SN: Use for Family Relationship.
- Family Structure**
SN: Use for Birth Order.
- Fantasy**
- Fathers**
- Fear**
- Feasibility Studies**
- Federal Aid**
- Federal Legislation**
SN: Use for Federal Laws.
- Feedback**
- Fellowships**
SN: Use for financial aid in graduate study. See also Scholarships.
- Females**
- Field Trips**
- Films**
- Filmstrips**
- Financial Policy**
- Financial Support**
- Finger Spelling**
SN: See also Manual Communication.
- Flexible Facilities**
- Flexible Scheduling**
- Followup Studies**
- Food Service Workers**
SN: See also Dietetics and Nutrition.
- Forced Choice Technique**
- Foreign Countries**
- Foreign Culture**
- Foreign Students**
- Foster Children**
- Foster Family**
- Freehand Drawing**

Games

SN: Use for Puzzles.

Genetics

SN: See also Heredity.

Geographic Distribution**Geographic Regions**

SN: Use for Geographic Location.

Geography**Geometry****Geriatrics**

SN: See also Older Adults.

Gifted**Glossaries****Goal Orientation****Government (Administrative Body)****Government Role****Grades (Scholastic)****Graduate Study**

See also Undergraduate Study, Colleges, and Universities.

Graduate Surveys

SN: Surveys of graduates from any level institution.

Grants

SN: See also Financial Support.

Graphic Arts**Group Behavior****Group Discussion**

SN: Use for Seminars and Discussion (Teaching Technique).

Group Dynamics**Group Living****Group Norms****Group Structure****Group Therapy**

SN: Use for Group Counseling.

Grouping (Instructional Purposes)

SN: See also Ability Grouping and Heterogeneous Grouping.

Growth Patterns

SN: See also Child Development and Physical Development.

***Guidance**

USE COUNSELING TERMS.

Guidelines

SN: Use for Guides.

Habit Formation**Handicapped**

SN: Use only for handicapped adults.

Handicapped Children**Handicrafts****Handwriting**

SN: Use for script, printing, or when discussing legibility. For composition or creative writing, use Writing Skills.

Hard of Hearing

SN: See also Aurally Handicapped.

Health**Health Education****Health Facilities****Health Personnel****Health Services****Hearing Aids****Hearing Clinics****Hearing Conservation*****Hearing Impaired**

USE AURALLY HANDICAPPED.

Hearing Loss**Hearing Therapy****Heredity**

SN: The genetic transmission of a particular quality or trait from parent to offspring. See also Genetics.

Heterogeneous Grouping

SN: See also Ability Grouping, Grouping (Instructional Purposes), Regular Class Placement.

High Achievers**High Interest Low Vocabulary Books****High School Graduates*****High Schools**

USE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOLS OR SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Historical Reviews**History****Hobbies****Home Economics****Home Instruction**

SN: Use in relation to homebound persons.

Home Visits**Homebound*****Homogeneous Grouping**

USE ABILITY GROUPING OR GROUPING (INSTRUCTIONAL PURPOSES).

Honors Curriculum**Hospital Schools****Hospitalized Children****Hospitals****Hostility****Human Posture****Humanities****Hygiene**

SN: Use for Body Care, Personal Grooming, Personal Health.

Hyperactivity**Hypnosis****Identification****Identification (Psychological)**

SN: Transferring response to an object considered as being identical with another or becoming identical through affiliation.

Illegitimate Births**Illiteracy****Imagination****Imitation****Immaturity**

SN: See also Maturation and Child Development.

Immigrants**Incidence****Incidental Learning****Independent Study****Individual Characteristics****Individual Differences****Individualized Instruction**

SN: Use only for specific discussions of this type of instruction.

Inductive Methods**Industrial Arts****Industry****Infancy**

SN: Use for children aged 0 to 2 1/2 years.

Infant Behavior**Infectious Diseases**

SN: An infectious disease is one caused by parasites, such as bacteria, protozoa, or fungi. Use for Communicable Diseases.

Information Centers**Information Dissemination****Information Retrieval****Information Services****Information Systems****Information Utilization****Inhibition****Initial Teaching Alphabet*****Inner City**

USE URBAN TERMS.

Innovation**Inquiry Training**

SN: Training in questioning and techniques seeking a subjective rather than an objective fact.

Insecurity**Inservice Education**

SN: Use for programs or courses that provide advanced study to professional persons in fields other than teaching.

Inservice Teacher Education**Institutes (Training Programs)**

Institutional Administration

Institutional Environment

Institutional Personnel

Institutional Schools

Institutionalized (Persons)

Institutions

Instructional Materials

Instructional Materials Centers

Instructional Media

SN: See also Educational Technology, Mass Media, and Media Technology.

Instructional Staff

SN: Use for Faculty.

Insurance Programs

Intellectual Development

Intelligence Differences

Intelligence Level

SN: Use for intelligence factors or when discussion is broader than MA over CA.

Intelligence Quotient

SN: IQ is level of MA over CA.

Intelligence Tests

Interaction Process Analysis

Interagency Cooperation

Interdisciplinary Approach

Interest Tests

Interests

SN: See also Vocational Interests.

Intergroup Relations

Interinstitutional Cooperation

Intermediate Grades

SN: Grades 4, 5, 6.

International Organizations

International Programs

Interpersonal Competence

SN: Use for social skills.

Interpersonal Relationship

Interpreters

SN: When referring to the aurally handicapped, use Deaf Interpreting.

Interval Pacing

Intervention

SN: See also Prevention.

Interviews

Item Analysis

Itinerant Clinics

Itinerant Teachers

Jews

Job Analysis

SN: See also occupational, employment, and vocational terms.

Job Placement

SN: Use for Employment Services. See also Part Time Jobs.

Job Satisfaction

Job Skills

Junior Colleges

Junior High School Students

SN: Students in grades 7-9.

Junior High Schools

Juvenile Courts

SN: See also Courts and Parole Officers.

Juvenile Gangs

Kindergarten

Kindergarten Children

Kinesthetic Methods

Kinesthetic Perception

SN: Sense perception of movement, weight, resistance, and position.

Labor Legislation

Laboratories

Laboratory Schools

Language Ability

SN: See also Receptive Language and Expressive Language.

Language Arts

Language Development

Language Handicapped

SN: See also Retarded Speech Development.

Language Handicaps

Language Instruction

Language Laboratories

Language Learning Levels

Language Programs

Language Research

Language Role

Language Tests

Large Type Materials

Lateral Dominance

SN: Use for Cerebral Dominance.

Law Enforcement

SN: See also Police.

***Laws**

USE LEGISLATION.

Leadership

Leadership Training

Learning Characteristics

Learning Difficulties

SN: General problems encountered in the learning process without physiological causation.

Learning Disabilities

SN: Distinguished by sharp imbalance within the student's cognitive development and a marked underachievement.

Learning Laboratories

Learning Processes

***Learning Readiness**

USE READINESS (MENTAL.)

Learning Theories

Left Handed Writer

Legal Problems

Legal Responsibility

Legislation

SN: Use for Laws.

Leisure Time

SN: See also Recreation.

Lesson Plans

Libraries

Library Services

Lighting

Linguistics

Lipreading

Listening

Listening Comprehension

Listening Skills

Literature

Literature Reviews

Logical Thinking

Longitudinal Studies

Loop Induction Systems

Low Income Groups

Low Rent Housing

Lower Class

Lysergic Acid Diethylamide

Machine Translation

Males

Manipulative Materials

Manpower Needs

Manual Communication

SN: See also Sign Language and Finger Spelling.

Map Skills

Marital Instability

Marital Status

Marriage

Mass Media

SN: See also Educational Technology, Instructional Media, and Media Technology.

Masters Degrees

Masters Theses

Material Development

SN: Use only when referring to the adaptation of materials for the handicapped. See also Teacher Developed Materials and Tactile Adaptation.

Mathematics

SN: Use for Arithmetic. See also Number Concepts.

Maturation

SN: See also Immaturity and Child Development.

Measurement

Measurement Techniques

Media Technology

SN: See also Educational Technology, Mass Media, Instructional Media, and Technology.

Mediation Theory

SN: The theory that certain stimuli do not directly initiate instrumental behavior but activate an intervening process that is connected in a complex, systematic way with action systems.

Medical Case Histories

Medical Evaluation

SN: See also Physical Examinations.

Medical Research

Medical Treatment

SN: See also Preventive Medicine.

Memorizing

Memory

Mental Health

Mental Health Clinics

Mental Illness

SN: Use for emotional disturbance in adults. When referring to children, use Emotionally Disturbed.

Mental Retardation

Mentally Handicapped

SN: See also Custodial Mentally Handicapped, Educable Mentally Handicapped, and Trainable Mentally Handicapped.

Metabolism

Methods Courses

Mexican Americans

Microfilm

Middle Class

Migrant Children

Migrant Health Services

Milieu Therapy

SN: The treatment of mental disorders or maladjustment by making definite and (usually) substantial changes in the person's immediate environment or life circumstances.

Military Personnel

Minimally Brain Injured

SN: See also Neurologically Handicapped.

Minority Groups

Mobile Classrooms

Mobility Aids

Models

Money Management

SN: Teaching the concept and use of money.

Mongolism

Moral Values

SN: Use for Ethics. See also Values.

Morphology (Languages)

Mother Attitudes

Mothers

Motivation

Motivation Techniques

Motor Development

SN: See also Psychomotor Skills and Perceptual Motor Coordination.

Motor Reactions

Multigraded Classes

Multiple Choice Tests

Multiply Handicapped

SN: See also Deaf Blind.

Multisensory Learning

Muscular Strength

SN: See also Physical Fitness.

Music

Narcotics

SN: See also Drug Addiction.

National Organizations

National Programs

National Surveys

SN: See also Surveys, State Surveys, Community Surveys, and Graduate Surveys.

Need Gratification

SN: Reducing a condition of tension; supplying a lack.

Negative Attitudes

Negative Reinforcement

SN: See also Reinforcement and Positive Reinforcement.

Neglected Children

SN: See also Child Abuse.

Negro Youth

Negroes

Neighborhood Centers

Neurological Defects

Neurologically Handicapped

SN: See also Minimally Brain Injured.

Neurology

Neurosis

Neurotic Children

Newsletters

Newspapers

SN: See also Current Events.

Nongraded Classes

Noninstructional Responsibility

Nonprofessional Personnel

SN: Use for persons not engaged in high level occupations, i.e., attendants, clerks, teacher aides. Use for Paraprofessional School Personnel.

Nonstandard Dialects

SN: Use for Dialects.

Nonverbal Learning

Nonverbal Tests

Number Concepts

SN: See also Mathematics.

Nursing

Nursing Homes

SN: Resident facilities providing skilled nursing care as their primary and predominant function.

Nutrition

SN: See also Eating Habits and Dietetics.

Observation

Occupational Aspiration

Occupational Choice

Occupational Therapy

SN: Use for Work Therapy.

Occupations

Older Adults

SN: Persons aged 65 years and over. Use for Senior Citizens. See also Geriatrics.

On the Job Training

One Parent Family

Operant Conditioning

Ophthalmology

SN: See also Vision.

Optometrists

SN: See also Visual Acuity.

Oral Communication

SN: Use in relation to the Aurally Handicapped. See also Lip-reading.

Oral Reading

Orientation

SN: Use for student orientation. See also Teacher Orientation, Staff Orientation, and Visually Handicapped Orientation.

*Orthopedically Handicapped

USE PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED.

Outdoor Education

Overhead Projectors

Overpopulation

SN: See also Contraception.

Painting

Paired Associate Learning

Paramedical Occupations

*Paraprofessional School Personnel

USE NONPROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL.

Parent Associations

Parent Attitudes

Parent Child Relationship

Parent Counseling

Parent Education

Parent Influence

Parent Role

SN: Use for Parent Responsibility, Parent Involvement, and Parent Participation.

Parent School Relationship

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parental Aspiration

Parents

Parochial Schools

Parole Officers

Part Time Jobs

Partially Sighted

SN: See also Visually Handicapped.

Participant Satisfaction

Pathology

Patterned Responses

SN: Using various organizations of stimuli to cue desired responses.

Peer Acceptance

Peer Groups

Peer Relationship

Perception

Perception Tests

Perceptual Development

Perceptual Motor Coordination

SN: See also Motor Development and Psychomotor Skills.

Perceptual Motor Learning

Perceptually Handicapped

Performance Criteria

Performance Factors

Performance Tests

Periodicals

SN: Use for journals.

Permissive Environment

Persistence

Personal Adjustment

Personal Care Homes

SN: Resident facilities providing personal services such as assistance in mobilization, bathing, dressing, etc., as opposed to highly skilled care.

Personality

Personality Assessment

Personality Change

Personality Development

Personality Problems

Personality Theories

Personnel

SN: See also Professional Personnel, Nonprofessional Personnel, and specific occupation terms.

Personnel Evaluation

Personnel Policy

Personnel Selection

Phonetics

SN: The science of speech sounds--the analysis of words into their constituent sound elements.

Phonics

SN: Phonetics as applied to the teaching of reading.

Phonograph Records

Photography

Physical Activities

Physical Characteristics

Physical Development

SN: See also Child Development and Growth Patterns.

Physical Education

Physical Environment

Physical Examinations

SN: See also Medical Evaluation.

Physical Fitness

SN: See also Muscular Strength.

Physical Handicaps

Physical Therapists

Physical Therapy

Physically Handicapped

Physicians

Physics

Physiology

Placement

SN: Use for institutionalization. See also Student Placement and Job Placement.

Play Therapy

SN: The utilization of play in the presence of a therapist to assist a child's emotional adjustment.

Playground Activities

Playgrounds

Poetry

Police

SN: See also Law Enforcement.

Police Community Relationship

Political Influences

***Population Growth**

USE DEMOGRAPHY.

Positive Reinforcement

SN: See also Negative Reinforcement and Reinforcement.

Post Testing

Potential Dropouts

SN: See also Dropouts.

Poverty Programs

Prediction

Predictive Measurement

Pregnancy

Premature Infants

Prenatal Influences

Preschool Children

***Preschool Education**

USE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.

Preschool Evaluation

SN: Use for evaluation of a preschool child and not for program evaluation.

***Prescriptive Teaching**

USE DIAGNOSTIC TEACHING.

***Preservice Education**

USE TEACHER EDUCATION.

Pretests

Prevention

SN: See also Intervention.

Preventive Medicine

Prevocational Education

Primary Grades

SN: Grades 1, 2, and 3.

Principals

Prisoners

Private Schools

Probation Officers

Probationary Period

Problem Solving

Professional Associations

Professional Education

Professional Occupations

Professional Personnel

Prognostic Tests

SN: See also Predictive Measurement and Diagnostic Tests.

Program Budgeting

Program Descriptions

Program Design

Program Development

Program Effectiveness

Program Evaluation

Program Planning

Program Proposals

Programed Instruction

SN: See also Teaching Machines and Computer Assisted Instruction.

Programed Materials

Projective Tests

SN: A global method of measurement of individual personality in which the presentation of a stimulus does not make manifest or partially makes manifest the intent or nature of the response; the stimulus is usually unstructured and produces responses reflecting the person's own individuality.

Prompting

SN: To assist by suggesting the next words, to cue.

Prostheses

SN: See also Cosmetic Prostheses.

Psychiatric Services

Psychiatrists

Psychiatry

Psychoeducational Clinics

Psychoeducational Processes

Psycholinguistics

Psychological Characteristics

Psychological Evaluation

Psychological Needs
Psychological Services
Psychological Tests
Psychologists
Psychology
Psychomotor Skills
SN: See also Motor Development and Perceptual Motor Coordination.
Psychopathology
Psychosis
Psychosomatic Diseases
Psychotherapy
Psychotic Children
Public Education
Public Facilities
SN: See also Sanitary Facilities.
Public Health
Public Opinion
Public Relations
Public Schools
Public Speaking
Public Support
Publications
***Pupil Personnel Services**
 USE STUDENT PERSONNEL SERVICES.
Qualifications
SN: For teachers, see Teacher Qualifications.
Questionnaires
Racial Attitudes
Racial Differences
Racial Factors
Racial Integration
SN: See also School Integration.
Racial Segregation
SN: See also Discriminatory Attitudes (Social).
Rating Scales
SN: See also Behavior Rating Scales.
Reactive Behavior
SN: Use for Reaction Time. See also Stimulus Behavior.
Readiness (Mental)
SN: Use for Learning Readiness. See also Maturation, Child Development and Immaturity.
Reading
Reading Ability
Reading Clinics
Reading Comprehension
Reading Diagnosis
Reading Difficulty
SN: See also Dyslexia.
Reading Materials
Reading Readiness
Reading Skills

Reading Speed
Reading Tests
Recall (Psychological)
Receptive Language
SN: The component of language encompassing an individual's comprehension of verbal, written, or other forms of communication. See also Expressive Language.
Records (Forms)
Recreation
SN: Use for Recreational Activities. See also Leisure Time.
Recreational Facilities
Recreational Programs
Recruitment
Reference Books
Referral
Regional Programs
Regular Class Placement
SN: See also Heterogeneous Grouping.
Rehabilitation
Rehabilitation Centers
Rehabilitation Programs
Reinforcement
SN: See also Negative Reinforcement and Positive Reinforcement.
Reinforcers
Religious Differences
Religious Education
Remedial Instruction
Remedial Programs
Remedial Reading
Remedial Teachers
Research and Development Centers
SN: Use for Research and Demonstration Centers.
Research Design
Research Methodology
Research Needs
Research Projects
Research Proposals
Research Reviews (Publications)
Research Utilization
Residential Care
Residential Programs
Residential Schools
Resource Guides
Resource Teachers
Retarded Speech Development
Retention
Rh Factors
Role Conflict
Role Learning
Role Perception
Role Playing

Rubella
Rural Areas
Rural Education
Rural Schools
Rural Urban Differences
Rural Youth
Safety Education
Salaries
Sampling
SN: Use only when discussion specifically concerns research methodology.
Sanitary Facilities
SN: See also Public Facilities.
Scheduling
Schizophrenia
Scholarships
SN: Use for financial aid at any level below graduate study. See also Fellowships.
School Buildings
SN: See also Educational Facilities.
School Community Relationship
School Districts
School Integration
SN: See also Racial Integration.
School Phobia
School Psychologists
School Role
School Services
School Visitation
Science Activities
Sciences
Scientific Concepts
Screening Tests
Sculpture
Second Language Learning
SN: See also Bilingual Students.
Secondary Education
Secondary School Students
SN: Students in grades 7-12.
Secondary Schools
SN: Includes junior and senior high schools.
Security
Sedatives
SN: See also Drug Therapy and Hyperactivity.
Seizures
Self Actualization
SN: The belief in or the process of developing the actuality of one's idealized image.
Self Care Skills
Self Concept
Self Contained Classrooms
Self Control
Self Esteem
Self Evaluation

- Self Expression**
- Self Help Programs**
- *Senior Citizens**
USE OLDER ADULTS.
- Senior High School Students**
SN: Students in grades 10-12. Use for High School Students.
- Senior High Schools**
SN: Use for High Schools.
- Sensitivity Training**
- Sensory Aids**
- Sensory Deprivation**
- Sensory Experience**
- Sensory Integration**
- Sensory Training**
- Sentence Structure**
- Sequential Learning**
- Serial Ordering**
- Services**
- Sex (Characteristics)**
- Sex Differences**
- Sex Education**
- Sexuality**
- Sheltered Workshops**
- Siblings**
- Sight Vocabulary**
- Sign Language**
SN: See also Manual Communication.
- Simulation**
- Site Selection**
- Skill Analysis**
SN: Use for nonacademic skills.
- Skill Development**
- Sleep**
- Slow Learners**
- Slums**
SN: See also urban terms and Depressed Areas (Geographic).
- Social Adjustment**
- Social Attitudes**
- Social Change**
- Social Characteristics**
- Social Development**
- Social Differences**
- Social Experience**
- Social Influences**
- Social Mobility**
- Social Problems**
SN: Use for Social Issues.
- Social Psychology**
- Social Relations**
SN: See also Dating (Social).
- Social Sciences**
- Social Services**
- *Social Skills**
USE INTERPERSONAL COMPETENCE.
- Social Studies**
- Social Work**
- Social Workers**
- Socialization**
- Socially Deviant Behavior**
- Socially Maladjusted**
- Sociodrama**
- Socioeconomic Background**
- Socioeconomic Influences**
- Socioeconomic Status**
- Sociology**
- Sociometric Techniques**
- Space Dividers**
- Space Orientation**
- Space Utilization**
- Spatial Relationship**
- Special Classes**
- Special Education Teachers**
- Special Health Problems**
- Special Schools**
- Speech Clinics**
- Speech Compression**
SN: Separating and transmitting voice communicated words at accelerated rates.
- Speech Evaluation**
- Speech Habits**
- Speech Handicapped**
SN: See also Retarded Speech Development.
- Speech Handicaps**
- Speech Improvement**
- Speech Pathology**
- Speech Skills**
- Speech Tests**
- Speech Therapists**
- Speech Therapy**
- Speed Reading**
- Spelling**
- Staff Orientation**
- Staff Role**
- Standardized Tests**
- Standards**
- State Agencies**
- State Aid**
- State Boards of Education**
- State Federal Aid**
- State Legislation**
SN: Use for State Laws.
- State Programs**
- State Schools**
- State Standards**
- State Surveys**
SN: See also Surveys, Community Surveys, and National Surveys.
- Statistical Analysis**
SN: Use only when research methodology is the focus of the document.
- Statistical Data**
- Stereopsis**
SN: Depth perception.
- Stereotypes**
- Stimulus Behavior**
SN: See also Reactive Behavior.
- Stimulus Generalization**
- Story Telling**
- Stress Variables**
- Student Adjustment**
- Student Alienation**
- Student Attitudes**
- Student Behavior**
- Student Developed Materials**
- Student Employment**
- Student Evaluation**
- Student Participation**
- Student Personnel Services**
- Student Placement**
- Student Promotion**
- Student School Relationship**
- Student Teacher Relationship**
- Student Teaching**
- Student Volunteers**
- Study Guides**
- Study Habits**
- Stuttering**
SN: See also Speech Handicapped.
- Suburban Youth**
- Success Factors**
- Suicide**
- Summer Programs**
- Summer Schools**
- Superintendents**
- Supervision**
- Supervisors**
- Surveys**
SN: See also National Surveys, State Surveys, Community Surveys, and Graduate Surveys.
- Suspension**
- Swimming**
- Symbolic Learning**
- Systems Analysis**
- Tachistoscopes**
SN: Attachment on a slide projector for controlling illumination or duration of projected images.
- Tactile Adaptation**
SN: Educational materials used with the blind. See also Material Development.
- Tactile Perception**
- Talent Identification**
- Talent Utilization**
- Talking Books**
- Tape Recorders**

Tape Recordings

SN: See also Video Tape Recordings.

Task Analysis**Task Performance****Taxonomy****Teacher Aides****Teacher Attitudes****Teacher Certification****Teacher Characteristics****Teacher Developed Materials**

SN: See also Material Development.

Teacher Education**Teacher Evaluation****Teacher Orientation****Teacher Qualifications****Teacher Role****Teacher Salaries****Teacher Supervision****Teacher Supply and Demand**

SN: Use for Teacher Shortage.

Teachers

SN: Use for regular teachers only. See also Beginning Teachers and Special Education Teachers.

Teachers Colleges**Teaching Guides****Teaching Machines**

SN: See also Programed Instruction.

Teaching Methods**Team Teaching****Technical Education****Technology**

SN: See also Educational Technology, and Media Technology.

Telephone Communication Systems**Telephone Instruction****Televised Instruction**

SN: Use for Closed Circuit Television. See also Educational Television.

Test Construction**Test Evaluation****Test Interpretation**

SN: Use for Test Results.

Test Reliability**Test Validity****Testing**

SN: Use for Tests.

Testing Problems**Textbooks****Theories****Therapeutic Environment****Therapists****Therapy****Thought Processes**

SN: See also Cognitive Processes.

Time

SN: Use in relation to the teaching of the concept.

Time Factors (Learning)**Toys****Tracking**

SN: Adjustment of an instrument to maintain a normal or desired value or to follow a moving reference marker. For student tracking, see Grouping (Instructional Purposes), and Ability Grouping.

Trainable Mentally Handicapped

SN: IQ 25-50.

Training Techniques**Transfer of Training****Transfer Students****Transformation Theory (Language)****Transparencies****Transportation****Travel Training****Trend Analysis****Truancy**

SN: See also Attendance.

Tuition**Tutoring****Twins****Typewriting****Underachievers****Undergraduate Study**

SN: See also Colleges, Universities, and Graduate Study.

Unemployment**Unit Plan****Universities**

SN: See also Colleges, Graduate Study, and Undergraduate Study.

Unwed Mothers**Urban Education****Urban Environment****Urban Renewal****Urban Schools****Values**

SN: See also Moral Values.

Vandalism**Verbal Ability****Verbal Communication****Verbal Learning****Verbal Operant Conditioning****Verbal Tests****Video Tape Recordings**

SN: See also Tape Recordings.

Visible Speech

SN: The translation of speech into a readable form; the sound waves of speech are transformed first into electrical impulses, and these in turn into flashes of light which are photographed.

Vision

SN: See also Ophthalmology.

Vision Tests**Visual Acuity****Visual Learning****Visual Perception**

SN: Use for Visual Discrimination. See also Stereopsis.

Visual Stimuli**Visualization**

SN: The act of forming and fixing a clear mental image of the form of an object not present to the eye.

Visually Handicapped

SN: See also Blind and Partially Sighted.

Visually Handicapped Mobility**Visually Handicapped Orientation****Vocabulary**

SN: See also Sight Vocabulary.

Vocabulary Development**Vocational Adjustment****Vocational Aptitude****Vocational Counseling****Vocational Education**

SN: See also Prevocational Education and On The Job Training.

Vocational Interests**Vocational Rehabilitation****Vocational Schools**

SN: Use for Vocational Training Centers.

Voice Disorders**Volunteers**

SN: See also Student Volunteers.

Wages**Welfare Services****Wheel Chairs****Withdrawal Tendencies (Psychology)****Word Frequency****Word Recognition****Work Attitudes****Work Environment**

Work Study Programs

***Work Therapy**

USE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY.

Workbooks

Working Parents

Workshops

Writing Skills

SN: Use for composition or creative writing. For script, print-

ing, or legibility, use Handwriting.

Young Adults

SN: Persons aged 18-25 years.

Youth Problems